

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of: ) Examiner: Stephen Chin  
M. Blaum et al. )  
Serial No.: 10/038,163 )  
Filed: January 2, 2002 ) Art Unit: 2634  
For: METHOD, SYSTEM, AND )  
PROGRAM FOR )  
SYNCHRONIZATION AND )  
RESYNCHRONIZATION OF A )  
DATA STREAM )

**REQUEST FOR STATUS**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sirs:

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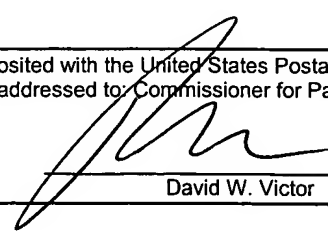
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